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Interviews: 2,010 adults, including
1,740 registered voters
Dates: June 14-18, 2000

48 Male
52 Female
[109]

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Please note: all results are shown as percentages unless otherwise stated.

**The margin of error for
2,010 interviews is +2.2% and for 1,740 registered
voters is +2.4%**

Unless otherwise noted by a "+", all previous data shown reflects responses among all adults. Current results reflect responses among registered voters for Q.1-Q.21, and among all adults for Q.22-Q.38 and Q.F1-Q.F12.

1. All in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel that things are off on the wrong track?

	<u>6/00+</u>	<u>4/00+</u>	<u>3/00+</u>	<u>1/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>High</u> <u>2/91+</u>	<u>Low</u> <u>7/92+</u>	
Right direction.....	44	44	49	55	49	46	65	14	[138]
Wrong track.....	38	34	34	28	34	37	22	71	
Mixed (VOL).....	15	19	15	15	15	14	9	9	
Not sure.....	3	3	2	2	2	3	4	6	
		<u>9/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>			
		43	50	42	46	54			
		41	32	41	40	33			
		13	15	14	11	10			
		3	3	3	3	3			

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 2a. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Bill Clinton is doing as president?

	<u>6/00+</u>	<u>4/00+</u>	<u>3/00+</u>	<u>1/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>High</u> <u>1/99</u>	<u>Low</u> <u>10/98</u>	<u>6/93</u>	
Approve.....	58	59	60	65	61	60	68	68	41	[139]
Disapprove.....	37	35	34	30	34	34	29	29	50	
Not sure.....	5	6	6	5	5	6	3	3	9	
		<u>9/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>				
		58	63	58	58	66				
		37	32	37	36	31				
		5	5	5	6	3				

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2b. Do you generally approve or disapprove of the job Bill Clinton is doing in handling the economy?

	<u>6/00</u> *+	<u>4/00</u> +	<u>3/00</u> +	<u>1/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>9/99</u>	<u>7/93</u>	<u>9/94</u>	
Approve.....	68	69	73	74	71	70	78	40	40	[140]
Disapprove.....	25	23	19	18	23	22	17	51	51	
Not sure.....	7	8	8	8	6	8	5	9	9	
		<u>9/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>				
		66	73	71	73	74				
		27	20	21	18	20				
		7	7	8	9	6				

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).
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2c. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Bill Clinton is doing in handling our foreign policy?

	<u>6/00</u> **+	<u>1/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>9/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>10/98</u> +	<u>9/94</u>	
Approve.....	51	49	50	52	49	54	70	32	[141]
Disapprove.....	38	35	39	39	41	37	26	60	
Not sure.....	11	16	11	9	10	9	4	8	
		<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>	<u>1/99</u>	<u>12/98</u>			
		50	50	60	65	61			
		41	41	31	28	30			
		9	9	9	7	9			

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).
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3a. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Congress is doing?

	<u>6/00</u> **+	<u>4/00</u> +	<u>3/00</u> +	<u>1/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>9/99</u>	<u>9/98</u>	<u>10/90</u> +	
Approve.....	43	42	43	48	45	42	40	61	22	[142]
Disapprove.....	46	44	40	36	42	45	49	28	69	
Not sure.....	11	14	17	16	13	13	11	11	9	
	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>	<u>1/99</u>	<u>12/98</u>	<u>10/98</u> +			
	43	40	49	41	50	44	48			
	41	42	38	45	40	42	39			
	16	18	13	14	10	14	13			

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3b. What is your preference for the outcome of the November 2000¹ congressional elections--a Congress controlled by Republicans or a Congress controlled by Democrats?

	<u>6/00+</u>	<u>4/00+</u>	<u>3/00+</u>	<u>1/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	
Republican-controlled Congress...	43	40	41	39	40	39	39	42	41	[143]
Democrat-controlled Congress.....	41	40	43	43	44	41	43	41	40	
Not sure ²	16	20	16	18	16	20	18	17	19	
		<u>3/99</u>	<u>10/98+</u>	<u>9/98</u>	<u>7/98</u>	<u>6/98</u>	<u>4/98</u>	<u>2/98</u>	<u>1/98</u>	
		37	41	40	41	39	37	41	40	
		43	43	39	40	40	41	37	42	
		20	16	21	19	21	22	22	18	
		<u>12/97</u>	<u>9/97</u>	<u>7/97</u>	<u>4/97</u>	<u>1/96</u>	<u>12/95</u>	<u>10/94</u>		
		41	41	45	44	41	42	44		
		37	39	39	38	38	41	38		
		22	20	16	18	21	17	18		

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¹ In October 1994, the question referred to the 1994 congressional elections; the 1995 and 1996 survey dates referred to the 1996 congressional elections; the 1997 and 1998 dates refer to the 1998 congressional elections.

² The volunteered responses "both equal," "neither in control," or "doesn't matter," were reported separately; for purposes of comparative they are combined with "not sure."

3c. And in this year's election for U.S. Congress, do you feel that your representative deserves to be reelected, or do you think it is time to give a new person a chance?

	<u>6/00**+</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/98+</u>	<u>12/97+</u>	<u>10/94+</u>	<u>9/94</u>	<u>5/94</u>	<u>1/94</u>	<u>10/93</u>	
Deserves to be reelected.....	49	42	48	41	39	30	34	35	34	[144]
Give new person a chance.....	39	47	37	45	49	53	50	47	52	
Not sure.....	12	11	15	14	12	17	16	18	14	
		<u>9/93</u>	<u>7/93</u>	<u>10/92+</u>	<u>9/92+</u>	<u>7/92+</u>	<u>4/92+</u>	<u>2/92+</u>	<u>1/92+</u>	
		37	30	31	31	27	33	37	42	
		47	55	56	56	62	57	52	48	
		16	15	13	13	11	10	11	10	
		<u>12/91+</u>	<u>10/91+</u>	<u>10/90+</u>	<u>11/89+</u>					
		35	40	39	41					
		52	48	48	36					
		13	12	13	23					

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4. How would you rate the overall performance and accomplishments of this year's Congress--one of the best, above average, average, below average, or one of the worst?

	<u>6/00**+</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>12/97</u>	<u>12/95</u>	<u>10/94</u>	<u>10/91</u>	<u>10/90</u>	
One of the best.....	2	2	1	2	7	1	+	+	[145]
Above average.....	9	11	12	11	18	6	5	7	
Average.....	58	54	53	56	33	46	45	39	
Below average.....	22	21	25	22	24	28	32	32	
One of the worst.....	7	10	7	6	16	16	14	19	
Not sure.....	2	2	2	3	2	3	3	2	

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5. I'm going to read you the names of several public figures and institutions, and I'd like you to rate your feelings toward each one as either very positive, somewhat positive, neutral, somewhat negative, or very negative. If you don't know the name, please just say so.

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>	
Bill Clinton							[146]
June 2000+.....	20	27	12	14	27	-	
April 2000+.....	22	27	13	11	27	-	
March 2000+.....	24	26	14	12	24	-	
January 2000.....	23	29	14	12	21	1	
December 1999.....	20	29	15	14	22	-	
October 1999.....	20	30	14	13	23	-	
September 1999.....	20	26	14	13	27	-	
July 1999.....	23	27	14	14	22	-	
June 1999.....	19	25	12	15	28	1	
April 1999.....	23	23	14	13	26	1	
March 1999.....	23	25	14	11	27	-	
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<i>High</i>							
January 1993.....	33	31	15	9	7	5	
<i>Low</i>							
June 1999.....	19	25	12	15	28	1	
September 1998.....	18	22	17	14	29	-	
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George W. Bush							[147/152]
June 2000+.....	16	29	23	15	15	2	
April 2000+.....	17	29	22	13	16	3	
March 2000+.....	19	26	21	15	17	2	
January 2000.....	22	30	22	13	9	4	
December 1999.....	19	31	21	16	10	3	
October 1999.....	21	32	21	12	11	3	
September 1999.....	18	32	22	12	10	6	
July 1999.....	22	31	26	9	6	6	
June 1999.....	23	27	25	9	8	8	
April 1999.....	23	32	25	8	6	6	
March 1999.....	25	26	28	5	5	11	
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<i>High</i>							
April 1999.....	23	32	25	8	6	6	
<i>Low</i>							
March 2000.....	18	26	23	15	15	3	

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Q.5 (cont'd)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>	
Al Gore							[148/153]
June 2000+.....	12	25	24	17	21	1	
April 2000+.....	15	26	20	16	21	2	
March 2000+.....	17	27	20	16	18	2	
January 2000.....	16	29	21	16	16	2	
December 1999.....	12	26	25	19	16	2	
October 1999.....	12	27	25	18	16	2	
September 1999.....	10	22	28	19	17	4	
July 1999.....	13	27	26	16	15	3	
June 1999.....	15	23	27	16	15	4	
April 1999.....	11	24	30	14	17	4	
March 1999.....	16	23	29	16	14	2	
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<i>High</i>							
January 1993.....	23	32	22	9	6	8	
<i>Low</i>							
April 2000+.....	15	26	20	16	21	2	
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John McCain							[149]
June 2000 *+.....	15	32	25	11	7	10	
April 2000+.....	16	30	27	12	5	10	
March 2000+.....	14	31	25	14	7	9	
January 2000.....	14	20	27	8	3	28	
December 1999.....	12	22	24	4	2	36	
October 1999.....	9	20	22	5	2	42	
April 1999.....	8	14	18	3	3	54	
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The Republican Party							[150]
June 2000 *+.....	9	30	28	16	15	2	
April 2000+.....	11	31	25	16	15	2	
March 2000.....	13	26	27	17	14	3	
January 2000.....	13	29	27	16	14	1	
December 1999.....	12	29	23	18	15	3	
June 1999.....	11	26	27	18	15	3	
March 1999.....	11	22	23	19	23	2	
January 1999.....	13	23	20	18	24	2	
December 1998.....	10	23	26	21	18	2	
October 1998+.....	13	24	22	21	19	1	
September 1998.....	14	27	29	15	14	1	
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<i>High</i>							
January 1995.....	17	33	25	13	9	3	
<i>Low</i>							
March 1999.....	11	22	23	19	23	2	
January 1999.....	13	23	20	18	24	2	

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Q.5 (cont'd)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>	
Pat Buchanan							[151]
June 2000 *+.....	2	10	27	18	32	11	
April 2000+.....	2	14	24	21	29	10	
March 2000+.....	3	11	26	21	30	9	
January 2000.....	4	12	25	19	24	16	
December 1999.....	4	13	25	21	26	11	
October 1999.....	4	14	24	20	28	10	
August 1996.....	4	11	26	20	31	8	
March 1996.....	6	16	20	18	32	8	
January 1996.....	3	13	30	12	20	22	
December 1995.....	5	16	24	16	22	17	
February/March 1992.....	5	21	23	18	16	17	
Hillary Rodham Clinton							[154]
June 2000 **+.....	19	22	16	13	29	1	
April 2000+.....	18	22	18	12	27	3	
March 2000+.....	18	24	19	15	23	1	
January 2000.....	21	23	18	13	24	1	
December 1999.....	19	22	17	13	28	1	
October 1999.....	21	24	13	16	25	1	
September 1999.....	20	22	16	14	26	2	
July 1999.....	25	23	18	12	20	2	
June 1999	25	22	17	13	22	1	
April 1999.....	30	19	17	12	20	2	
March 1999.....	35	19	16	11	18	1	
<i>High</i>							
January 1999.....	35	23	16	11	14	1	
<i>Low</i>							
May 1996+.....	14	20	19	17	27	3	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

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Q.5 (cont'd)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>	
The Democratic Party							[155]
June 2000 **+.....	15	32	23	15	13	2	
April 2000+.....	14	34	21	15	15	1	
March 2000+.....	18	28	27	13	12	2	
January 2000.....	20	30	23	15	10	2	
December 1999.....	17	29	24	16	12	2	
June 1999.....	16	29	25	13	15	2	
March 1999.....	21	25	24	14	15	1	
January 1999.....	18	27	27	16	10	2	
December 1998.....	18	28	25	16	11	2	
October 1998+.....	13	29	28	16	12	2	
September 1998.....	15	25	33	17	9	1	
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<i>High</i>							
April 2000+.....	14	34	21	15	15	1	
October 20-21, 1992+.....	19	29	22	15	12	3	
<i>Low</i>							
December 1994.....	10	23	25	24	16	2	
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Ralph Nader							[156]
June 2000 **+.....	10	23	30	9	6	22	
April 2000+.....	9	19	31	12	8	21	
May 1996.....	14	23	28	9	6	20	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

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Now I'm going to ask you a few questions about the next presidential election. . .

6a. If the next election for president were held today, and Al Gore were running as the Democratic candidate and George W. Bush were the Republican candidate, for whom would you vote?

	<u>6/00+</u>		<u>4/00+</u>	<u>3/8/00+</u>	<u>3/2- 5/00+</u>	<u>1/00+</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	
Al Gore.....	41	CONTINUE	41	43	48	43	39	39	[157]
George W. Bush.....	49		46	40	45	49	50	49	
Neither/other (VOL).....	5	Skip to Q.7	6	7	3	3	5	5	
Not sure.....	5		7	10	4	5	6	7	
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			<u>9/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>		
			35	37	36	35	34		
			52	50	51	53	52		
			6	5	4	5	4		
			7	8	9	7	10		
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			<u>12/98</u>	<u>10/98+</u>	<u>9/98</u>	<u>4/98</u>	<u>9/97</u>		
			40	40	39	41	45		
			50	48	49	44	39		
			5	5	5	5	8		
			5	7	7	10	8		

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(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO CHOOSE A CANDIDATE IN Q.6a.)

6b. Would you definitely vote for **(CANDIDATE IN Q.6a)**, probably vote for **(CANDIDATE IN Q.6a)** but are still thinking about it, or are you just leaning toward voting for **(CANDIDATE IN Q.6a)**?

	Gore Voters		Bush Voters		
	6/00+	4/00+	6/00+	4/00+	
Definitely vote for candidate.....	68	63	69	63	[158]
Probably vote for candidate.....	16	18	16	19	
Just leaning toward voting for candidate...	16	19	15	17	
Not sure.....	-	-	-	1	

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7. If the next election for president were held today, and Al Gore were running as the Democratic candidate, George W. Bush were the Republican candidate, Pat Buchanan were the Reform Party candidate, and Ralph Nader were the Green Party candidate, for whom would you vote?

	6/00+	4/00+	
Al Gore.....	38	37	[159]
George W. Bush.....	43	41	
Pat Buchanan.....	4	4	
Ralph Nader.....	7	5	
None/other (VOL).....	3	4	
Not sure.....	5	9	

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8. Suppose George W. Bush were to choose someone who is pro-choice on abortion as his vice presidential running mate. Would this make you more likely or less likely vote for Bush, or does this make no difference either way? *+

More likely to vote for Bush.....	18	[160]
Less likely to vote for Bush.....	18	
Makes no difference either way.....	62	
Not sure.....	2	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

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9a. If Al Gore chose a woman as his running mate on the Democratic ticket for president, would that make you more likely or less likely to vote for Al Gore, or would that not make a difference to you either way? *+

More likely to vote for Gore.....	16	[161]
Less likely to vote for Gore.....	8	
Makes no difference either way.....	74	
Not sure.....	2	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

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- 9b. If George W. Bush chose a woman as his running mate on the Republican ticket for president, would that make you more likely or less likely to vote for George Bush, or would that not make a difference to you either way? **+

More likely to vote for Bush.....	10	[162]
Less likely to vote for Bush.....	6	
Makes no difference either way.....	81	
Not sure.....	3	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

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- 9c. If your party nominated a woman for president, would you vote for her if she were qualified for the job?

	<u>6/00**+</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>1987</u>	<u>1984</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1971</u>	<u>1969</u>	
Yes, would vote for her.....	87	92	82	78	80	77	73	66	53	[163]
No, would not vote for her.....	7	7	12	17	16	19	23	29	40	
Depends (VOL).....	5	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Not sure.....	1	1	6	5	4	5	4	5	7	
		<u>1967</u>	<u>1963</u>	<u>1959</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1955</u>	<u>1950</u>	<u>1949</u>	<u>1945</u>	
		57	55	57	54	52	54	48	33	
		39	41	59	41	44	41	48	55	
		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
		4	4	4	5	4	5	4	12	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

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NOTE: Comparative data shown comes from surveys conducted by the Gallup Organization.

10. Which one of the following statements do you agree with more?

Statement A: After eight years of the Clinton-Gore Administration, it's time for a change.

Statement B: With the nation at peace and the economy as strong as it is, we should continue with the Democrats in the White House.

	<u>6/00*+</u>	<u>3/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	
Statement A: time for change.....	47	46	49	[164]
Statement B: should continue with Democrats.....	46	44	45	
Some of both (VOL).....	2	5	3	
Not sure.....	5	5	3	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

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11a. When it comes to **(READ ITEM)**'s ability to keep the nation's economy strong and growing, would you say that you are very confident, fairly confident, just somewhat confident, or not at all confident in his ability? **

	Very Confident	Fairly Confident	Just Somewhat Confident	Not At All Confident	Not Sure	
George W. Bush						[165]
June 2000+.....	17	24	31	24	4	
April 2000+.....	14	17	36	28	5	
December 1999.....	18	25	32	18	7	
Al Gore						[166]
June 2000+.....	13	23	31	30	3	
April 2000+.....	10	17	38	30	5	
December 1999.....	14	22	31	28	5	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

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11b. Do you think that there will or will not be an economic recession during the next twelve months?

	<u>6/00</u> +	<u>3/00</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>7/97</u>	<u>6/97</u>	<u>4/97</u>	<u>1/97</u>	<u>3/96</u>	<u>12/90</u>	
Will be an economic recession.....	30	31	23	30	22	15	19	23	32	73	[167]
Will not be an economic recession.....	53	55	66	56	68	77	70	67	53	19	
Not sure.....	17	14	11	14	10	8	11	10	15	8	
			<u>9/15-</u>	<u>9/4-</u>							
		<u>10/90</u>	<u>18/90</u>	<u>5/90</u>	<u>8/90</u>	<u>7/90</u>	<u>5/90</u>	<u>4/90</u>	<u>3/90</u>	<u>1/90</u>	
		66	51	58	57	25	30	23	30	31	
		24	35	30	26	49	57	64	56	56	
		10	14	12	17	26	13	13	14	13	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 12a. I'd like you to compare Al Gore and George W. Bush on a few issues. For each one, please tell me whether you think that Al Gore or George W. Bush would be better on that issue. If you think that both would be equally good or that neither would be good on a particular issue, just say so. Who do you think would be better when it comes to **(READ ITEM)**--Al Gore or George W. Bush? *+

	Al Gore Would Be Better	George W. Bush Would Be Better	Both Would Be Equally Good	Neither Would Be Good	Depends (VOL)	Not Sure	
The economy.....	37	36	16	6	-	5	[168]
Social Security.....	42	35	8	7	-	8	[169]
Taxes.....	30	43	8	10	1	8	[170]
Abortion.....	36	27	7	11	1	18	[171]
Foreign policy.....	38	35	9	9	-	9	[172]
Education.....	40	33	13	6	-	8	[173]
Health care.....	42	29	11	9	-	9	[174]
Gun control.....	38	32	6	10	1	13	[175]
Moral issues.....	27	39	16	9	1	8	[176]

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 12b. Please tell me which one or two of the following issues will be the most important to you in voting in this year's election for president. **(ACCEPT UP TO TWO RESPONSES.)** +

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Education.....	31	[177-178]
The economy.....	28	>
Health care.....	26	
Social Security.....	23	
Taxes.....	18	
Moral issues.....	16	
Gun control.....	15	
Foreign policy.....	13	
Abortion.....	9	
None/other (VOL).....	1	
Not sure.....	1	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 13a. Now I'd like you to compare Al Gore and George W. Bush on a few qualities that people might look for in a president. For each one, please tell me whether you think that Al Gore would be better or George W. Bush would be better on that item. If you think that both would be equally good or that neither would be good on a particular item, just say so. Who do you think would be better when it comes to **(READ ITEM)**--Al Gore or George W. Bush? **+

	Al Gore Would Be <u>Better</u>	George W. Bush Would Be <u>Better</u>	Both Would Be Equally <u>Good</u>	Neither Would Be <u>Good</u>	Depends (VOL)	Not <u>Sure</u>	
Being knowledgeable and experienced enough to handle the presidency.....	40	31	21	5	-	3	[179]
Being compassionate enough to understand average people.....	39	32	15	11	-	3	[180]
Having high personal standards that set the proper moral tone for the country.....	28	39	22	7	-	4	[208]
Being knowledgeable enough to deal with foreign policy.....	41	29	16	8	-	6	[209]
Being trustworthy enough to do the right thing when making decisions.....	29	37	20	9	1	4	[210]
Having the strong leadership qualities needed to be president.....	25	46	18	8	-	3	[211]
Being easygoing and likeable.....	29	40	19	7	-	5	[212]

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 13b. Now please tell me which one or two of the following qualities will be the most important to you personally when you vote in this year's election for president. **(ACCEPT UP TO TWO RESPONSES.)** +

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

Being trustworthy enough to do the right thing.....	40	[213]
Having the strong leadership qualities.....	33	>
Being knowledgeable and experienced.....	28	
Being compassionate enough to understand average people.....	22	
Being knowledgeable enough to deal with foreign policy.....	21	
Having high personal standards.....	19	
Being easygoing and likeable.....	2	
None/other (VOL).....	1	
Not sure.....	1	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 13c. We've just been through a list of issues and personal qualities. Now I'd like to ask you which is the more important consideration for you in deciding whom to support for president--a candidate's positions on the issues OR a candidate's character and personal qualities? +

Candidate's positions on the issues.....	53	[214]
Candidate's character and personal qualities.....	31	
Both equally (VOL).....	15	
Not sure.....	1	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 13d. I'm going to read you some criticisms that people have made of Al Gore, and I'd like you to tell me which one or two you agree with most. **(ACCEPT UP TO TWO RESPONSES.)** *+

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

He is too mechanical and lacks real personality.....	27	[215]
He is too willing to say or do anything to get elected.....	26	>
He is too closely associated with President Clinton.....	21	
He is too liberal on the issues.....	16	
He is part of the Clinton campaign scandals.....	15	
He is not sincere.....	9	
All (VOL).....	6	
None (VOL).....	16	
Not sure.....	2	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

- 13e. I'm going to read you some criticisms that people have made of George W. Bush, and I'd like you to tell me which one or two you agree with most. **(ACCEPT UP TO TWO RESPONSES.)** *+

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

He lacks the necessary knowledge about world affairs.....	29	[216]
He is too smug and self-satisfied.....	22	>
He is too inexperienced and not ready to be president.....	21	
He is too willing to say or do anything to get elected.....	19	
He is too conservative on the issues.....	14	
His proposals are unrealistic and untested.....	11	
All (VOL).....	6	
None (VOL).....	12	
Not sure.....	4	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

14a. Which approach do you favor when it comes to dealing with Social Security—

(A) changing the current system by allowing people to invest some of their Social Security taxes in private accounts in the stock market, OR

(B) using some of the budget surplus to pay down the national debt now, and using general tax revenue later to help maintain the current Social Security system of guaranteed monthly benefits? *+

(A) Changing the current system to allow people to invest Social Security taxes in private accounts.....	38	[217]
(B) Using some of the budget surplus to pay down the national debt now.....	51	
Neither/other (VOL).....	6	
Depends (VOL).....	2	
Not sure.....	3	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

14b. Please tell me which of the following approaches to dealing with Social Security concerns you more –

(A) making some adjustments but leaving the Social Security system basically as is and running the risk that the system will fall short of money as more people retire and demand benefits, OR

(B) changing the Social Security system by allowing people to invest some of their Social Security taxes in private accounts and running the risk that some people will lose their private accounts due to drops in the stock market. **+

(A) Making some adjustments but leaving the Social Security system basically as is.....	45	[218]
(B) Changing Social Security to allow people to invest some of their Social Security taxes in private accounts....	45	
Neither/other (VOL).....	5	
Depends (VOL).....	1	
Not sure.....	4	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

15. As you may know, there is a proposal to build a national missile defense system. Supporters of the proposal say that new technology makes it possible to build a defense system that could stop small-scale missile attacks from nations such as Iran and North Korea, and that building the defense system to protect the U.S. is worthwhile. Opponents of the proposal say that a defense system would be extremely expensive, requiring cuts in other areas, and that building the defense system only would motivate China and Russia to build more advanced missiles. Based on this information, do you favor or oppose building a national missile defense system? *+

Favor building a national defense system.....	45	[219]
Oppose building a national defense system...	43	
Neither (VOL).....	1	
Depends (VOL).....	3	
Not sure.....	8	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

16. The federal government will have a surplus of funds in the next few years. For which one of the following would you like to see the surplus funds used--reducing the national debt, improving funding for needed government programs, or providing an across-the-board tax cut?

	6/00**+	1/97	
Reducing the national debt.....	32	41	[220]
Improving funding for needed government programs....	22	18	
Providing across-the-board tax cut.....	38	34	
All (VOL).....	3	3	
None/other (VOL).....	4	3	
Not sure.....	1	1	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

17. I'd like to read you some possible scenarios of changes that may take place in American society, and for each one, please tell me whether you think such a change would be better for society, worse for society, or neither better nor worse for society. **+

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY BETTER FOR SOCIETY

	Better For Society	Worse For Society	Neither Better Nor Worse	Not Sure	
Currently, most members of congress are men. What would it be like if most members of congress were women?.....	33	11	54	2	[223]
Currently, most of the Supreme Court justices are men. What would it be like if most Supreme Court justices were women?.....	28	9	60	3	[222]
Currently, most corporations' CEOs are men. What would it be like if most CEOs were women?.....	22	8	67	3	[221]
Currently, most primary wage earners in the United States are men and their spouses stay at home to raise the children. What would it be like if most primary wage earners were women and their spouses stayed at home to raise the children?.....	12	44	36	8	[224]

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

18. Which one of the following women in politics do you most admire? +

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

Elizabeth Dole.....	24	[225-226]
Hillary Clinton.....	19	
Madeleine Albright.....	15	
Janet Reno.....	11	
Sandra Day O'Connor.....	9	
Christine Todd Whitman.....	5	
Dianne Feinstein.....	4	
Jeanne Kirkpatrick.....	4	
None (VOL).....	5	
Other (VOL).....	-	
Not sure.....	4	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

19a. Do you think that Hillary Rodham Clinton is a positive role model for American women, or not?

	6/00*+	1/96	1/95	6/94	12/92	
Hillary Rodham Clinton is positive role model.....	44	51	57	62	66	[227]
Hillary Rodham Clinton is not positive role model.....	50	39	37	32	21	
Not sure.....	6	10	6	6	13	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

19b. Do you believe that Hillary Clinton has the knowledge and character that would qualify her to be president someday, or not? **+

Yes, she has the knowledge and character.....	39	[228]
No, she does not have the knowledge and character...	54	
Not sure.....	7	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

19c. Later this summer, the independent counsel investigating Hillary Clinton's role in the 1993 firing of long-time White House travel office employees will issue its report. Do you think that this report is a legitimate attempt to expose criminal wrongdoing, or is it a political effort designed to hurt her Senate campaign? **+

Report is a legitimate attempt.....	28	[229]
Report is a political effort to hurt her campaign.....	53	
Depends (VOL).....	6	
Not sure.....	13	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

20. Which of the following best represents your views about abortion--the choice on abortion should be left up to the woman and her doctor, abortion should be legal only in cases in which pregnancy results from rape or incest or when the life of the woman is at risk, or abortion should be illegal in all circumstances?

	<u>6/00</u> *+	<u>1/97</u>	<u>8/96</u>	<u>6/96</u> +	<u>5/96</u> +	<u>3/96</u>	
The choice on abortion should be left up to the woman and her doctor.....	57	60	56	58	55	56	[230]
Abortion should be legal only in cases where pregnancy results from rape or incest, or when the life of the woman is at risk.....	32	26	30	31	35	31	
Abortion should be illegal in all circumstances.....	9	11	12	9	7	10	
Not sure.....	2	3	2	2	3	3	
		<u>12/95</u>	<u>7/91</u>	<u>6/91</u>	<u>7/90</u>		
		60	60	57	57		
		28	31	36	33		
		10	8	7	8		
		2	1	-	2		

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

21. Recently, a judicial panel in Arkansas recommended that President Clinton be disbarred and lose his license to practice law in Arkansas because he was convicted of perjury during his testimony in the Paula Jones sexual harassment case. Do you think that President Clinton should be disbarred, or not? **+

President Clinton should be disbarred.....	54	[231]
President Clinton should not be disbarred.....	40	
Depends (VOL).....	2	
Not sure.....	4	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Changing subjects . . .

22. Now I'd like to ask you about the women's movement. Please tell me whether you feel that the women's movement has had a large positive impact on **(READ ITEM)**, a small positive impact, a small negative impact, or a large negative impact.

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY LARGE OR SMALL POSITIVE IMPACT

	Large Positive <u>Impact</u>	Small Positive <u>Impact</u>	Small Negative <u>Impact</u>	Large Negative <u>Impact</u>	No Impact At All (VOL)	Not Sure	
Women in general.....	44	32	9	9	2	4	[232]
You personally.....	26	32	9	5	25	3	[233]

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN)

23. Please tell me whether you consider yourself a feminist.

Yes, consider myself a feminist.....	29	[234]
No, do not consider myself a feminist.....	66	
Not sure.....	5	

- 24a. Have you personally faced discrimination in the job market? **(IF "YES," ASK:) Was that discrimination based on sex, race, age, religious or ethnic background, physical disability, or something else? (ACCEPT UP TO TWO TYPES OF DISCRIMINATION.)**

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

	6/00	3/95	
Yes, Have Faced Discrimination (net)	37	32	
On the basis of sex.....	15	12	[235]
On the basis of race.....	11	13	>
On the basis of age.....	8	6	
On the basis of religious or ethnic background..	4	2	
On the basis of physical disability.....	3	1	
On the basis of something else.....	5	4	
No, Have Not Faced Discrimination.....	62	66	
Not Sure/Refused.....	1	2	

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN.)

- 24b. Have you ever personally experienced discrimination in general because you are a woman?

Yes, experienced discrimination because I am a woman.....	44	CONTINUE	[236]
No, have not experienced discrimination because I am a woman.....	55	Skip to Q.25a	
Not sure/refused.....	1		

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN WHO SAY THEY HAVE EXPERIENCED DISCRIMINATION IN Q.24b.)

- 24c. In which of the following settings have you experienced gender discrimination? **(ACCEPT AS MANY AS APPLY.)**

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

The workplace.....	58	[237-238]
Shopping as a consumer.....	38	>
A social setting.....	27	
A bank or other financial institution.....	20	
School.....	16	
A hotel or restaurant.....	14	
All (VOL).....	3	
Other (VOL).....	2	
Depends (VOL).....	-	
Not sure/refused.....	1	

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN.)

- 25a. Have you ever personally been sexually harassed?

Yes, have been sexually harassed.....	31	CONTINUE	[239]
No, have not been sexually harassed.....	68		
Depends (VOL).....	1	Skip to Q.25c	
Not sure/refused.....	-		

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN WHO SAY YES IN Q.25a)

25b. In which of the following settings have you been sexually harassed? **(ACCEPT AS MANY AS APPLY.)**

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

The workplace.....	73	[240-241]
A social setting.....	35	>
School.....	20	
A hotel or restaurant.....	7	
Shopping as a consumer.....	7	
A bank or other financial institution.....	2	
All (VOL).....	1	
Other (VOL).....	1	
Depends (VOL).....	1	
Not sure/refused.....	1	

25c. Do you think that it is a positive or a negative development that more women are working and having a career at the same time they are raising children? **

Positive development.....	46	[242]
Negative development.....	38	
Neither (VOL).....	4	
Both (VOL).....	8	
Not sure.....	4	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

26a. Compared to twenty years ago, how much progress have we made with women in **(READ ITEM)**--a lot of progress, quite a bit, very little, or no progress at all? *

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY A LOT OR QUITE A BIT OF PROGRESS

	<u>A Lot Of Progress</u>	<u>Quite A Bit Of Progress</u>	<u>Very Little Progress</u>	<u>No Progress At All</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>	
The workplace.....	42	39	16	2	1	[244]
The marketplace—stores or businesses where purchases are made.....	38	38	16	3	5	[246]
The home.....	31	29	23	10	7	[245]
The portrayal of women in advertising and the media.....	30	30	26	11	3	[243]

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

- 26b. Compared to forty years ago, how much progress have we made with women in **(READ ITEM)**--a lot of progress, quite a bit, very little, or no progress at all? **

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY A LOT OR QUITE A BIT OF PROGRESS

	<u>A Lot Of Progress</u>	<u>Quite A Bit Of Progress</u>	<u>Very Little Progress</u>	<u>No Progress At All</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>	
The workplace.....	45	36	14	3	2	[248]
The marketplace—stores or businesses where purchases are made.....	41	33	19	3	4	[250]
The portrayal of women in advertising and the media.....	32	28	24	13	3	[247]
The home.....	30	25	24	13	8	[249]

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

27. Here are some changes in the way in which society operates with regard to women. For each one, please tell me whether you think that this is definitely the case, mainly the case, sometimes the case, or not the case at all. Women count as much as men, when it comes to **(READ ITEM)**. *

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY DEFINITELY OR MAINLY THE CASE

	<u>Definitely The Case</u>	<u>Mainly The Case</u>	<u>Sometime s The Case</u>	<u>Not The Case At All</u>	<u>Depends (VOL)</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>	
Entering professions such as medicine and law.....	38	25	26	8	1	2	[253]
Making decisions about major purchases.....	35	26	30	7	1	1	[251]
Making major financial decisions related to retirement and investment planning.....	27	23	36	9	2	3	[256]
Being treated professionally in the workplace.....	24	26	35	12	1	2	[254]
Being promoted to senior executive positions.....	17	14	48	18	-	3	[255]
Receiving as much funding for athletic programs.....	14	9	33	37	1	6	[252]

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN)

28. Are you employed for pay?

Yes, employed for pay.....	60	CONTINUE	[257]
No, not employed for pay.....	40	Skip to Q.29c	
Not sure/refused.....	-		

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN WHO SAY THEY ARE EMPLOYED FOR PAY IN Q.28)

29a. And do you work full time or part time?

Work full time.....	76	[258]
Work part time.....	24	
Not sure/refused.....	-	

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN WHO SAY THEY ARE EMPLOYED FOR PAY IN Q.28)

29b. Which one of the following best describes why you work?

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You are the primary wage earner in your family.....	37	[259]
You are not the primary wage earner in your family, and you work because your income is necessary to help your household make ends meet.....	27	
You work because the extra income helps you afford better things for your household.....	20	
You don't have to work, but you work for your own personal satisfaction.....	14	
None/other (VOL).....	2	
Not sure.....	-	

29c. Do you happen to have any children under age 18 living in your household? (IF "YES," ASK:) What are their ages, please? (ACCEPT ALL THAT APPLY.)

Yes, Children Under 18.....	37	
Under age 5.....	15	[260-261]
Age 5-7.....	9	>
Age 8-9.....	7	
Age 10.....	5	
Age 11.....	4	
Age 12.....	5	
Age 13.....	4	
Age 14.....	3	
Age 15.....	4	
Age 16.....	4	
Age 17.....	4	
No, No Children Under 18.....	62	
Not Sure/Refused.....	1	

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN WHO ARE EMPLOYED FOR PAY IN Q.28 AND WHO HAVE CHILDREN IN Q.29c.)

29d. Which one of the following statements best describes how you balance work and family?

Statement A: I would prefer to be at home raising my children, but I need to work because we need the income, OR

Statement B: Even though it takes me away from my family, I enjoy my work and want to keep working.

Statement A/prefer to be at home.....	48	[262]
Statement B/enjoy work, want to keep working...	44	
Not sure.....	8	

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN)

30. Next, I'm going to read you a list of major purchases. For each one, regardless of whether you are married or not, please tell me which of the following five descriptions best describes how you make decisions in that area. I make the decision myself, I make the decision myself with the advice of my spouse, I make the decision myself with the advice of a family member or friend, I make the decision equally with my spouse, or I leave the decision mostly to someone else, such as spouse, family member, or friend. If you never have made this kind of decision, please just say so.

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY I MAKE THE DECISION MYSELF

	<u>I Make The Decision</u>				I Leave The Decision Mostly Up To Someone Else	I Never Made This Kind of Decision	Depends (VOL)	Not Sure	
	<u>Myself</u>	<u>With Advice Of Spouse</u>	<u>With Advice Of Friend Or Family Member</u>	<u>Equally With Spouse</u>					
Setting a budget and sticking to it.....	55	7	2	27	2	6	-	1	[267]
Purchasing major appliances, such as a refrigerator or stove.....	46	10	5	34	1	4	-	-	[270]
Purchasing insurance...	43	8	5	35	5	3	-	1	[269]
Making travel arrangements.....	42	11	9	31	3	3	-	1	[265]
Making a will.....	32	8	6	37	1	15	-	1	[264]
Purchasing mutual funds or stocks.....	30	9	11	28	9	12	-	1	[266]
Purchasing or leasing a car.....	29	13	14	37	3	4	-	-	[263]
Buying a home.....	20	9	8	50	1	10	1	1	[268]

31. Now I am going to read you a list of factors involved in making decisions on big purchases, such as buying a home, car, or refrigerator. Please tell me which factor is most important to you when making a major purchase.

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

The quality of a product matters more than cost or other factors.....	51	[271]
The cost of an item is very critical to me.....	21	
How useful and practical a product is, is more important than how it looks.....	16	
The products I buy are the ones I have used for a long time and know well.....	10	
Stylish, fine products are important to me.....	1	
Being one of the first to buy a product is important to me.....	-	
None/other (VOL).....	-	
Not sure.....	1	

32. I'd like to mention a number of areas of the economy that people deal with and have you tell me whether you think that in general men are treated better than women, women are treated better than men, or men and women are treated equally. *

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY WOMEN TREATED BETTER THAN MEN

	Men Treated Better Than Women	Women Treated Better Than Men	Men And Women Are Treated Equally	Not Sure	
Shopping as a consumer in a department store.....	11	38	47	4	[273]
Making reservations at a hotel or restaurant.....	17	11	68	4	[277]
College admissions.....	18	6	69	7	[272]
Applying for a loan at a bank or other financial institution.....	55	3	36	6	[274]
Buying an automobile.....	72	3	23	2	[275]
Buying a house or condominium.....	40	2	51	7	[276]
Earning a salary.....	72	2	24	2	[280]
Dealing with repairs on or maintenance of your car.....	87	2	9	2	[279]
Buying stocks or mutual funds from a financial advisor.....	36	1	52	11	[278]

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

(ASK ONLY OF WOMEN)

33. I'm going to read you a number of occupations of people you might deal with in your daily life, and I'd like you to tell me whether you prefer to have a man or a woman in those occupations. When it comes to your **(READ ITEM)**, do you prefer the person to be a man or a woman, or does it not make a difference to you either way?

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY PREFER A WOMAN

	Prefer A Man	Prefer A Women	Makes No Difference Either Way	Not Sure	
Doctor, internist.....	13	30	56	1	[312]
Car salesperson.....	21	15	62	2	[308]
Banker.....	7	11	82	-	[309]
Lawyer.....	17	11	71	1	[310]
Religious advisor.....	34	5	59	2	[313]
Police officer.....	38	5	55	2	[311]

- 34a. Title Nine is a federal law that prohibits high schools and colleges that receive federal funds from discriminating on the basis of gender. Title Nine is most commonly invoked to ensure equal opportunities for girls and women in high school and college athletics. Do you approve or disapprove of Title Nine as it is described here? *

Yes, approve of Title Nine.....	79	[314]
No, do not approve Title Nine.....	14	
Do not know enough about it (VOL).....	4	
Not sure.....	3	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

- 34b. To comply with Title Nine, many schools and universities have had to cut back on resources for men's athletic programs and invest more in women's athletic programs to make the programs more equal. Do you approve or disapprove of cutting back on men's athletics to ensure equivalent athletic opportunities for women? *

Yes, approve of cuts.....	76	[315]
No, do not approve of cuts.....	19	
Not sure.....	5	

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

35. Please tell me whether the following statement applies to you personally. I have at least five thousand dollars invested in mutual funds or stocks.

Applies.....	51	[316]
Does not apply.....	45	
Not sure.....	4	

- 36a. Do you personally have Internet access at home, work, or someplace else? (IF "YES," ASK:) And is that at home, work, or someplace else? (ACCEPT ALL THAT APPLY.)

Yes, Have Internet Access.....	71		
At home.....	56	CONTINUE	[317]
At work.....	34		>
Someplace else.....	8		
No, Do Not Have Internet Access. .	28	Skip to Q.38	
Not Sure.....	1		

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE INTERNET ACCESS IN Q.36a.)

36b. For each of the following, please tell me whether that applies to you personally. **(READ ITEM)**--does that apply to you, or not?

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY APPLIES

	<u>Applies</u>	<u>Does Not Apply</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>	
Have made a purchase over the Internet				[319]
June 2000.....	52	48	-	
December 1999.....	35	65	-	
Have visited a woman's site on the Web such as iVillage.com or Oxygen				[318]
June 2000.....	20	79	1	
Regularly shop on-line				[320]
June 2000.....	17	83	-	

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE INTERNET ACCESS IN Q.36a.)

37a. How knowledgeable do you feel you are of using the Internet--do you consider yourself to be very knowledgeable, fairly knowledgeable, just somewhat knowledgeable, or not really knowledgeable of using the Internet?

Very knowledgeable.....	22	[321]
Fairly knowledgeable	33	
Just somewhat knowledgeable.....	29	
Not very knowledgeable.....	16	
Not sure.....	-	

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE INTERNET ACCESS IN Q.36a.)

37b. On average, how many hours do you spend on the Internet per week, not including the time you spend using e-mail?

Less than 1 hour per week.....	24	[322]
1 to 3 hours per week.....	32	
4 to 7 hours per week	20	
8 or more hours per week.....	23	
Not sure.....	1	

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE INTERNET ACCESS IN Q.36a.)

37c. Which one of the following do you think is the best reason to shop for a variety of products and services, from clothing to insurance to cars, over the Internet?

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

It is convenient.....	27	[323-324]
There is a lot of information available.....	19	
Prices are better.....	10	
There are a lot of choices available.....	9	
There is less sales pressure.....	8	
It fits my schedule.....	3	
It is anonymous.....	1	
All (VOL).....	7	
None/other (VOL).....	9	
Not sure.....	7	

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE INTERNET ACCESS IN Q.36a.)

37d. Do you have a computer and television in the same room, so that if you wanted to watch television and work at your computer at the same time, you would be able to?

Yes, have computer and television in same room.....	46	[325]
No, do not have computer and television in same room.....	54	
Not sure.....	-	

38. Later this month, scientists are expected to announce that they have completed a genetic blueprint of the human body. Some are hopeful that this will help to detect and combat illnesses. Others are concerned that this could violate privacy rights because information about people's health problems may be used against them. Does this concern you, or not? **(IF "YES," ASK:)** How much does this concern you--a great deal, a fair amount, just some, or very little? **

Yes, Concerns	56	
A great deal.....	23	[326]
A fair amount.....	16	
Just some.....	12	
Very little.....	5	
No, Does Not Concern	42	
Not Sure	2	

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

FACTUALS: Now I am going to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes only.

F1. How old are you? **(IF REFUSED, ASK:)** Well, would you tell me which age group you belong to?

18-24.....	12	[327-328]
25-29.....	8	
30-34.....	8	
35-39.....	11	
40-44.....	10	
45-49.....	10	
50-54.....	9	
55-59.....	8	
60-64.....	6	
65-69.....	5	
70-74.....	5	
75 and over.....	6	
Refused.....	2	

F2. What is the last grade that you completed in school?

Grade school.....	1	[329-330]
Some high school.....	5	
High school graduate.....	30	
Some college, no degree.....	19	
Vocational training/2-year college.....	10	
4-year college/bachelor's degree.....	20	
Some postgraduate work, no degree.....	3	
2-3 years postgraduate work/master's degree...	8	
Doctoral/law degree.....	3	
Not sure/refused.....	1	

F3. Are you currently employed?

(IF "CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) What type of work do you do?

(IF "NOT CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) Are you a student, a homemaker, retired, or unemployed and looking for work?

<u>Currently Employed</u>		
Professional/ manager.....	25	[331-332]
White-collar worker.....	21	
Blue-collar worker.....	20	
Farmer, rancher.....	-	
<u>Not Currently Employed</u>		
Student.....	3	
Homemaker.....	7	
Retired.....	20	
Unemployed, looking for work.....	3	
Other.....	-	
Not sure.....	1	

- F4. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an independent, or something else? **(IF "DEMOCRAT" OR "REPUBLICAN," ASK:)** Would you call yourself a strong (Democrat/Republican) or not a very strong (Democrat/Republican)? **(IF NOT SURE, CODE AS "NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN.")** **(IF "INDEPENDENT," ASK:)** Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party, closer to the Democratic Party, or do you think of yourself as strictly independent? **(IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "STRICTLY INDEPENDENT.")**

Strong Democrat.....	20	[339]
Not very strong Democrat.....	11	
Independent/lean Democrat.....	8	
Strictly independent.....	21	
Independent/lean Republican.....	8	
Not very strong Republican.....	9	
Strong Republican.....	16	
Other.....	6	
Not sure/nothing.....	1	

- F5. Thinking about your general approach to issues, do you consider yourself to be liberal, moderate, or conservative?

Liberal.....	25	[340]
Moderate.....	38	
Conservative.....	34	
Not sure.....	3	

- F6. Are you currently registered to vote in the precinct or election district where you now live, or haven't you had a chance to register yet?

Registered.....	87	[341]
Not registered.....	12	
Not sure.....	1	

- F7. Are you currently single and never married, married, separated, widowed, or divorced?

Single.....	22	[342]
Married.....	56	
Separated.....	1	
Widowed.....	8	
Divorced.....	11	
Other (VOL).....	1	
Not sure/refused.....	1	

- F8. In what religion were you brought up?

Protestant.....	49	CONTINUE	[343]
Catholic.....	28		
Jewish.....	3		
Other.....	14	Skip to Q.F10	
None.....	4		
Not sure/refused.....	2		

(ASK ONLY OF PROTESTANTS IN Q.F8.)

F9. Would you describe yourself as either a fundamentalist or an evangelical Christian, or would you not describe yourself that way?

Fundamentalist/evangelical.....	16	[344]
Neither fundamentalist nor evangelical.....	30	
Not sure.....	3	
Non-Protestants (Q.F8).....	51	

F10. Are you a member of a labor union? **(IF "NO," ASK:)** Is anyone else in this household a member of a labor union?

Labor union member.....	10	[345]
Labor union household.....	6	
Nonunion household.....	82	
Not sure.....	2	

F11. Are you from a Hispanic or Spanish-speaking background? **(IF "NO," ASK:)** What is your race--white, black, Asian, or something else?

Hispanic.....	7	[346]
White.....	78	
Black.....	10	
Asian.....	1	
Other.....	3	
Not sure/refused.....	1	

F12. If you added together the yearly income of all the members of your family who were living at home last year, would the total be less than \$10,000, between \$10,000 and \$20,000, between \$20,000 and \$30,000, between \$30,000 and \$40,000, between \$40,000 and \$50,000, between \$50,000 and \$75,000, between \$75,000 and \$100,000, or would the total be more than that?

Less than \$10,000.....	3	[347]
Between \$10,000 and \$20,000.....	8	
Between \$20,000 and \$30,000.....	10	
Between \$30,000 and \$40,000.....	13	
Between \$40,000 and \$50,000.....	12	
Between \$50,000 and \$75,000.....	17	
Between \$75,000 and \$100,000.....	10	
More than \$100,000.....	9	
Not sure/refused.....	18	